extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any over-payment to Account No. 22-0258.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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I hereby certify that the attached REQUEST FOR RCE; PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT IN SUPPORT OF RCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and a PTO-2038 credit card authorization form in the amount of \$395.00 are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to:

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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